

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q80165

Koji KAMEI

Appln. No.: 10/589,611

Group Art Unit: 2811

Confirmation No.: 8630

Examiner: Trang Q. Tran

Filed: August 16, 2006

For: GALLIUM NITRIDE-BASED COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT-EMITTING
DEVICE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding Restriction Requirement of September 19, 2008, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-15 (drawn to a gallium nitride compound device), for prosecution, without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to request rejoinder of method claims including all the limitations of any allowable device claim pursuant to MPEP §821.04. Applicant also reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to the non-elected subject matter.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



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